7 December 1962

Mr. Elam K. Hertzler Principal George C. Marshall High School 2323 Leesburg Pike Falls Church, Virginia

Dear Mr. Hertzler:

Thank you very much for your letter of November 27th inviting me to participate in the official opening of the General George C. Marshall High School in Falls Church on 10 December at 1:45 p.m.

I will be highly honored to participate and will make a few remarks -- I hope appropriate and certainly brief.

I believe that the actual raising of the flag should be handled by you and the president of the student body and have so informed Colonel George.

I look forward to meeting you on Monday.

Faithfully yours,

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Marshall S. Carter Lieutenant General, USA Deputy Director

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